

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

Disclosed are a system and method for discriminating data entered in a single data entry section provided on a screen of Web browser, and selectively allowing an information retrieval service or a chat service, the method comprising the processes of providing a single data entry section on the screen during the activation of the web browser to allow a user to enter data thereon; deciding whether URL (Uniform Resource Locator) data is presented in the entered data; deciding the entered data as chat data in the absence of the URL data, and providing a chat-dedicated section on the screen to allow the chat data to be displayed thereon; estimating whether data subsequent to the URL data is presented, in the presence of the URL data; and determining, in the presence of the subsequent data, the entered data as chat data and displaying it on the chat-dedicated section; and otherwise, deciding the entered data as URL data and attempting connecting to a host corresponding to the URL data.